

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty-Land Claim of David Harris VAS3

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From records in the Library of Virginia:

Gentlemen, May 29 1786

Please to deliver to Mr. William Watt my land-warrent. In doing which you will oblige.

To the land-office register

Y'r. H'l. S't./ David Harriss

Test/ James Watt Jane Woodson

David Harris a Soldier of the 2<sup>d</sup> Virginia Regiment having served three years for which he was Enlisted is hereby Discharged from the Continental Army Given under my hand this 11<sup>th</sup> of August 1786

William Davies Col. Com[mandant]

True Copy H. Randolph

[The file also includes the following fragment:]

if so, perhaps the enclosed affidavit may be the best evidence, that can be procured, and it is hoped is such as will intitle the friends of the deceased Soldier, to whatever, he would be entitled to if alive – of this the department over which you preside will determine and you will please Write the results by Mail, so soon as convenient. I am With True[?]/ Respect your friend/ Thos. H. Wooding

NB. Mr. Harris request the affidavit will be returned if it is thought insufficent